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EDMONTON, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, AUGUST 6, 1933

THE WILD ANIMALS, THE CLOWNS AND THE RED WAGONS ARE COMING!

This announcement is hailed with delight by the juvenile element, while some of the "older boys" are already looking about for their neighbor's nephews and nieces. They are saying they will probably have to go and take the children to see the Wallace & Clark Wild Animal Circus, but deep down in their hearts they know they would not miss the circus if there was not a small boy within a thousand miles of Morinville on circus day, Thursday, Aug. 21.

Many new and novel features will be presented this season by the Wallace & Clark circus, daring and intrepid aerialists, acrobats, funny walkers, dainty equilibrists, witty clowns performing puns high school and liberty horses, ponderous elephants. Animals from all parts of the world are on exhibition with the Wallace & Clark Wild Animal Circus, including a giant hippopotamus from the River Nile, which is alive and weighs over four tons.

St. Albert Fair To Show As Planned

ST. ALBERT.—The St. Albert WI is going ahead with the plans for the Community Fair, but there will be no garden competition open due to the recent storms.

With careful consideration they feel those that have entries for the vegetables and flowers are kindly asked to enter their exhibits.

This year as an added attraction there will be a bicycle parade for children under 15 years of age with a prize donated by the St. Albert WI for the best decorated bike. This will take place in the afternoon when the prizes of the Fair exhibits are awarded, and after which tea will be served.

A hearty welcome is extended to all to enter your exhibits.

Divisions in which entries in home-crafts are open are as follows:

Division B
—Class 39—School work display non-competitive.

Class 40—Best collection of pressed and named wild flowers, mounted.

Class 41—Art display: scenes of St. Albert and district in oil, water color, sketch or pastel.

Class 42—Dressed doll contest. Girls 7-10 years.

Class 43—Dressed doll contest. Girls 11-15 years.

Class 44—Bird house contest. Boys 8-11 years.

Class 45—Bird house contest. Boys 12-15 years.

Class 46—Best article made from flour sack.

Class 47—Open hobby display.

Class 48—4-H Display, Juniors.

Class 49—4-H Display, Seniors.

Knitting
Class 50—Infant's jacket and bonnet.

Class 50a—Mitts, men's or ladies' any design.

Crochet
Class 51—Dinner cloth 54 inch square or more, all lace, not consider less than 20 thread.

Class 51a—Handkerchief, crocheted edge.

Embroidery
Class 52— Pillow cases, white embroidery.

Class 52a—Tea cloth, 56 inch square to 54 inch square, colored embroidery, (not cross stitch).

Class 53—Child's garment or napkin.

Morinville News Briefs

Sgt. Arthur (Cye) McDonald, Mrs. McDonald and their two children for Dawson Creek, B.C., are holidaying in Morinville and Edmonton. Sgt. McDonald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis McDonald.

Mrs. Armand Sylvestre was fêted at her home on the occasion of her birthday on Monday, Aug. 3. About 15 guests were present. Mrs. Sylvestre received beautiful gifts and a delicious lunch was served.

Holidaying at Alberta Beach are Mrs. Joe Krauskopf and family, Mrs. Paul Steffes and family, Mrs. Ernie Steffes and family, Mrs. Art Chaffoux and family, Mrs. Oscar Parry and family and Mrs. Lawrence McDonald and family.

Mrs. Marie Ethier spent a few days during this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hector Montpetit, east of Legal. Mrs. Montpetit is Mrs. Ethier's daughter, Beatrice.

Mrs. Joe Casouette, 81 years of age is in serious condition at the Edmonton Misericordia Hospital. Congratulations to our neighboring parish of Legal on the occasion of its 50th anniversary. Mrs. Henry Schaefer gave birth to a baby girl on Tuesday, Aug. 4.

Beloved Pioneer Passes

LEGAL.—As the parish is preparing for the celebration of its Golden Jubilee another of our pioneers, Arsene Joseph Baert, passed away last Wednesday, July 29 at the age of 72. He had been a resident of this parish for more than 53 years. He leaves as survivors his beloved wife, four sons and six daughters: Joseph and Philippe of Edmonton, Emile and John of Legal, Mrs. J. Keel of Mercot, Mrs. H. Nadeau of Calgary, Mrs. P. Camille of Falk Church, Virginia, Sister Eva Baert of Fort McMurray, Sister Edna Baert of L'ile a la Croix, Sister Marie Arsene Baert of Pincher Creek, three brothers and one sister. René and Bertha of Edmonton, Jules of Legal and Mrs. Martha Shank of Grosmont, Alta., and 19 grandchildren.

The pallbearers at the funeral were the following: Mrs. P. Shank, Mr. Albert Shank, Mrs. Jules Baert, Mr. Roger Baert, Mr. Edmond Pelletier and Mr. Jos. Pelletier.

The family wishes to thank most sincerely all parents and friends for their sympathies and mass of ferings.

Legal News Briefs

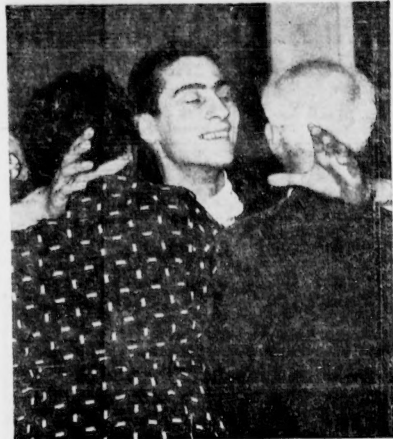
Mrs. Theo Gelot has just come back from another sojourn in hospital and is going to accompany her husband at the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the parish. Mrs. Gelot is the first only survivor of the first colonists who took land in Legal in 1894.

We renew our most cordial welcome to all pioneers of Legal, to all our friends and benefactors, to the celebration of the Golden Jubilee of the Parish on the 6th of August of this week. See last week's issue again for details of the program.

Baptized on Sunday, July 26 were Dora Marie Emma Pelletier, newly born daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolphe Pelletier. Congratulations to the happy parents.

Here on visit last week was

FAMILY REUNION



SCENES LIKE THIS will be numerous in the forthcoming weeks with a trace signed in Korea. Shown in Pvt. Charles Sacco of Guelph, Ont., a Korean veteran and prisoner-of-war who is being greeted by his parents on his return from the battle-torn country of Korea.

72 SEEKING ELECTION IN 17 ALBERTA RIDINGS

EDMONTON.—Five political parties filed nomination papers Monday for 72 candidates in Alberta's 17 ridings as nominations closed across Canada for the federal election.

Reports from returning officers indicated the Liberals and Social Credit each named 17 candidates, the CCF 13, and the Progressive Conservatives and Labor Progressive (Communist) parties, 12 each and 1 Independent.

Three of the ridings, Jasper, Peace River and Athabasca, nominated July 15. They were among 21 of Canada's 265 constituencies which had to nominate early because of scattered outposts in the ridings.

The 72 nominees compared to 65 which contested the same number of seats in Alberta in 1949. The Social Credit party carried the province, winning 10 seats. The Liberals won five, and the Conservatives two. It was a set-back for the monetary reform party, however, as Social Credit won 13 Alberta seats in 1945.

No "dark horses" entered as candidates in the two Calgary ridings. Following is a list of some of those nominated in Alberta, with the winning party and majority noted: "N" denotes member of the last House.

Athabasca (L-2584) — J. M. Deane (L); Daniel Gamache (L); Rev. Father Bouchard, son of Mrs. Jean Mesybourg, and last week also Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gosselin and Mrs. Jodouin of St. Lina were here on their way to Falher.

The abundant rains of the last week-end caused damage to crops but this district escaped the hail storms which completely destroyed many crops in the Morinville and St. Albert districts.

Gardens are fun, when the time is available, but unfortunately do not grow unintended.

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PRIME MINISTER PROUD TO RECEIVE \$40.00 OLD-AGE PENSION

CHICOUTIMI, Que. — Prime to an outdoor meeting here which
Minister St. Laurent, silver haired and 71, said here he was St. John region. He spoke at four
"proud" to receive the old-age communities and to small groups
pension every month and told
critics he feels "just as alert and
vigorous" as ever as he guides the
Liberal party through the election
campaign.

The prime minister's Irish-
French wit was sharp as he spoke

at numerous points along the way.
"I'm proud to receive my old-
age pension cheque of \$40 every
month," Mr. St. Laurent said in
tribute to government social se-
curity measures. "And every
Canadian who does so should feel
that same way."

Old-age pensions cheques are
mailed to everyone 70 years and
over and to the needy between 65
and 69.

He said anyone who thought he
was too old to be prime minister
should have followed him during
the past four weeks of the cam-
paign which have seen him barn
storm the nation from coast to
coast in trains, planes, cars and
boats.

"I feel just as alert and vigorous
as I've ever felt," he said.

Storage Problem Looms As Harvest Approaches

EDMONTON — As the annual
harvest season approaches, Al-
berta farmers are starting to
think about how they can get
their grain to market.

A large backlog of grain from
last year still has to be moved out
to make room for this year's crop.
An agriculture department official
said Thursday the speed at
which the grain can be moved will
depend on how fast the Canadian
wheat board can sell it. Harvest-
ing of rye and barley is expected

to start at some Alberta points
about mid-August. The wheat
crop is described as progressing
well and is expected to mature
about 10 days later than normal.

A marketing official said the
harvest season this year will be
spread over "quite a period" due
to spring rains which delayed
seeding. Only a few elevators
were reported full.

Gas, Oil Rights Sale Set For August 18

EDMONTON (BU) — The Al-
berta government said Tuesday
that one of the largest sales of
petroleum and natural gas rights
to be held in the province has been
set for August 13.

The sale of rights, on thousands
of acres of land in north-central
Alberta, will be held at the Natural

Resources Building in Edmonton.
No tenders were received for
Tuesday's sale of petroleum and
natural gas reservation rights in
the northern section of the pro-
vince. The rights covered about
617,000 acres in the Buffalo Head
Hills district, about 250 miles
north-west of Edmonton.

Insurance buying is twice the
amount of 12 years ago.

Weekly Health Report

The following cases of com-
municable diseases were reported
in the city during the week ending
July 24, 1953:

	This Week	Last Week
Measles	19	26
Poliomyelitis	5	1
Rubella	7	10
Scarlet Fever	4	2
Whooping Cough	10	3
	45	42

The following cases were re-
ported from outside the city:

Poliomyelitis	2	2
Scarlet Fever	1	1
Whooping Cough	4	1
	7	4

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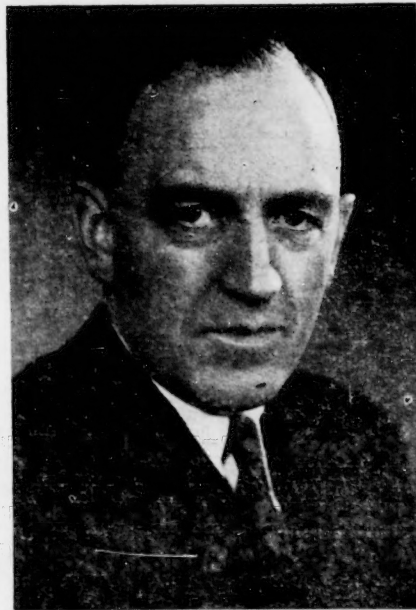
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One day when the grade nines are taking up community economics, the teacher gave three of us girls an assignment. The assignment was to draw a plan of the dining-living room. I happened to draw a dining-living room with walls to separate each room which was disagreed to by the teacher. He said to make it all in one room. So I said, "So you want separation, huh?" Much to my embarrassment all the class started to laugh at me.

H.E.H.

While walking up the street one day with my small son, we saw a woman coming towards us dressed ludicrously. My son said, "Oh, mamma, doesn't she look awful," hastily whispered, "Hush, dear, maybe she likes her clothes." By this time the lady was just passing and my son said, "I mean her face looks awful."

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"Fire or life?"

"Both! I have a wooden leg."

His Comeback

Judge—Ignorance of the law is no excuse.

Prisoner—Well, no; but it's kind of a certificate of character, isn't it?

Chip Off The Block

Visitor—What will you do when you are as big as your mother, Joan?

Joan—Oh! Reducing exercises, I suppose.

Not So Good

His Rich Aunt—And what has brought you to town, Reginald?

Nephew—Just to see the sights, Auntie, so I thought I'd call on you first.

Living Up To The Audience

An English actor received a rebuke from a director.

"But all you English drop your aitches, don't you?"

"Good gracious, no!" the Englishman responded.

The director pondered a moment and then said, "Well, drop 'em anyhow. The guys on this side expect it."

"Go on," drop your aitches, can't you?"

"I'm supposed to be acting the part of a British peer," argued the Englishman.

"I know that," said the director.

Which One?

The busy executive asked his secretary "Which one?"

"Behind your ear," she replied.

"Come, come," snapped the big shot. "I'm a busy man. Which ear?"

Practical Course

Daughter: "Yes, I've graduated, but now I must inform myself in psychology, philosophy, bibli—"

Practical Mother: "Stop! I have arranged for you a thorough course in roastology, biology, stitcheology, domestic hustology."

Der Ain't

"How many times have you been arrested?"

"I'm sorry, Judge, but I've lost count. Der ain't anybody offerin' a prize, is der?"

Quick Canadian Quiz No. 126

- In net value of production, what industry leads in Canada: agriculture, forestry, fisheries, trapping, mining, electric power, manufactures or construction?
 - Quebec farmers earn their largest cash income from the sale of what class of products?
 - Which is the largest all-Canadian lake?
 - How long will it take Canada's population to reach 35 million without immigration?
 - What percentage of Canada's known hydro-electric resources are now in use?
 - ANSWERS: 3. Less than one-quarter. 3. Great Bear in the N.W.T. 1. Manufactures, three to four times the value of agriculture, which is second. 4. More than 50 years. 5. Live stock and poultry; dairy products rank second.
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Highways Minister Gordon Taylor said that asphalt and sand will be used as the base course over two miles of road, instead of the present asphalt and gravel base. Two miles will have a base mixture of soil and Portland cement.



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EDITORIALS

Two Remaining Issues

In the last week of the 1953 Federal Election Campaign there remain but two issues for the consideration of Alberta voters.

The first issue is of national magnitude. It is: "Will the Canadian people return the St. Laurent government to office with an overall majority, able to continue sound, stable, progressive government?"

There is an alternative to this outcome at the polls on August 10th. Enough candidates of other parties could be elected to have more seats in the aggregate than the Liberals. That would make for unstable government, such as exists in France where no party has been able to get a complete majority over all other parties for many years.

Strangely enough, this sorry spectacle is now advocated by our Alberta Premier, Hon. E. C. Manning. It is not good advice to the electors of this province, or for Canada, and it is not a condition Mr. Manning would like to face with in the Alberta legislature.

The second issue is a local consideration for each Alberta constituency. It is this: "Should we send as our representative to Ottawa a member of the Liberal Government, able to take active and constructive part in the formulation of Government policy, or should we send an opposition party member?" It is better for the people of this constituency to be represented in Parliament by a member supporting the Government, and the only party that can possibly form a government after August 10th is the Liberal party.

We are in favour of sound, stable government and believe that by its record and achievements, as well as by its future prospects, the Liberal government of Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent is worthy of the support of every voter.

Get Out — and Vote!

This is the last week of radio broadcasts, party speechmaking and publication of newspaper and pamphlet advertising on behalf of this candidate and that in the current Federal election campaign.

The party workers, radio, press and candidates have done their best to present their issues of this election campaign to the people who are to make the decision. Now it is up to the individual man and woman to make a solemn promise to be at the polling booth in plenty of time on Monday, August 10th.

We live in a wonderful country. We are the second most prosperous nation on the face of the earth. We have a measure of freedom unparalleled by any other country. We have a right and an obligation to take a hand in shaping the future course of our country.

Let's all get out and vote on Monday next.

Japanese and Canadian Agriculture

It is good sometimes to compare the bountiful things we have available in our own country with those possessed by others.

Japan, for instance, has just issued a handbook describing her agricultural resources. Japan, it appears, with eighty million people has only fifteen million acres of cultivated land, or 18 of one acre per person. The average size farm is two acres only. Very few farms are as large as seven acres. Compare this with Canada where fifteen million people have eighty-two million acres of cultivated land, an average of 5½ acres per person. The average Canadian farm has 132 acres of cultivated land. The Japanese have very little grazing land and so very little livestock, but they have the greatest catch of fish in the world—four and one-half times greater than any other nation. Their fish supplies them with the protein and vitamins that we obtain from livestock, poultry and dairy products. Japan has to import vast quantities of rice, wheat and barley to feed her people even on a most modest diet, so she has to try hard to sell her manufactured goods on the markets of the world to obtain foreign exchange with which to pay for imported foods. Japan purchases wheat and barley from Canada.

Suez Danger Zone

Observers of world affairs have often expressed the view that costly and aggravating as the Korean War is, it stands to be only a side-show affair compared to the potential war threat in the Near and Middle East.

For generations the British have controlled the Suez Canal zone but revolution in Egypt has awakened a new national spirit that may well grow and strengthen enough to start a war calculated to take over control of the Suez Canal.

Not only the British countries would disapprove of this eventually. All countries hold dear the Freedom of the Seas and any threat to free passage of the world's shipping through the Suez Canal would be treated with grave concern.

General Naguib who has dethroned the Royal Family of Egypt and banished them has the key to the situation, but like the silent sphinx and the age-old Pyramids he isn't talking. He's a man of action, though, and any day might see an eruption in the Suez Canal region that will be a greater threat to world peace than has been the fighting in Korea.

1953 Election To Cost \$7,000,000

According to a report released by the Canadian Press in Ottawa, it's going to cost a record amount to run the August 10 election and the current campaign perhaps around \$7,000,000.

Of this, some \$5,500,000 will come out of the public treasury. The political parties and their supporters will spend \$1,500,000 more.

By far the biggest amount will be the official cost of the election and the preliminary work, which will be up from the \$4,250,000 figure of the 1949 voting. This is because there are additional constituencies and unit changes for almost every kind of electoral work are up.

On the political side, party spending is hard to pin down, but rough and unauthorized guesses are that the Liberals and Progressive Conservatives will spend around \$600,000 apiece or more—the Liberals quite a bit more—and the CCF between \$200,000 and \$250,000. The Canadian Congress of Labor probably will throw about \$20,000 into the CCF pot. The Social Credit group will spend a relatively modest sum, amount unknown.

Spokesmen for all groups say it is impossible to determine now how much each will spend. Apart from national budgets—in some cases the smallest part of the spending—there are expenditures by provincial and local organizations and by the individual candidates. Aside from the political spending, costs are up all along the line in the normal government job of running an election. The expense of enumerating each elector is up, and the number of electors also is higher to an expected record of some 8,500,000.

It costs more—\$12 as against \$9 in the last election—to hire a deputy returning officer for the day. There are 50,000 of these.

The rental for about 50,000 polling stations at \$32 per station—including the cost of space and other fees—will be up about \$400,000.

An additional expenditure not counted up in the 1953 election cost is that of the office of the chief electoral officer, Nelson Caston-Luby, which will be about \$30,000. He works between elections but at election time expands his staff to about 60.

Note and Comment

The true purpose of education is to cherish and unfold the seed of immortality already sown within us: to develop, to their fullest extent, the capacities of every kind which the God who made us has endowed us. — Anna Jameson.

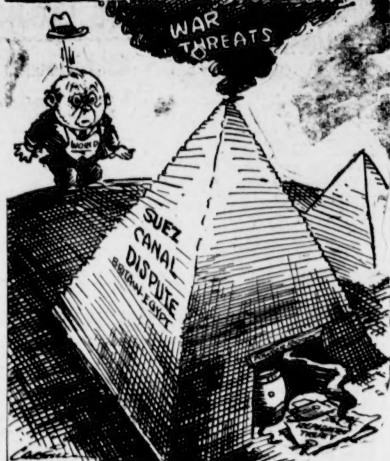
Not only to say the right thing in the right place, but far more difficult is to leave unsaid the wrong thing at the tempting moment.

The Bible Today

Know ye not brethren, (for I speak to them that know the law), how that the law hath dominion over a man as long as he liveth?

— Romans, VII: 1.

MAN-MADE VOLCANO



LIFE'S LESSON

I had a tiny little grudge,
I held it close to me
Until it grew a hundred fold,
And fed my misery.
It crowded out that part of me
That charity contained,
And when at last I threw it off,
The scar of it remained.

I had a tiny little grudge,
I threw it far from me
And filled my mind with better thoughts,
Of love and charity.
And every day was sunny,
And every hour was bright,
I'd learned life's oldest lesson,
Two wrongs don't make a right.

BERYL RASMUSSEN, Crossfield, Alta.

Voice of the People

IF YOU DON'T VOTE

I've heard it said
And oft times quoted:
The people who squawk
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MIKE P.

GASOLINE PRICES

The Farmers' Union of Alberta is much concerned over the recent increase of 1½c in gasoline prices put into effect by the oil companies last week.

This increase will add materially to the cost of farm operations at a time when the price of most farm products is sharply lower and the trend is definitely downward.

We are not convinced that there is any need for higher gasoline prices in an area such as Alberta where we are producing our own supplies of crude oil. The argument that prices must advance here because of a price increase of crude in the U.S.A. or at Sarnia, sounds like nonsense to us.

We have communicated with the Imperial Oil Co., protesting the increase and asking for a full explanation. At the time of the increase the oil companies apparently considered that the public was not entitled to any explanation.

We have also written the Provincial Cabinet calling their attention to the seriousness of the situation. Since the Provincial Government has the power to fix prices and also full control over our natural resources, we contend that they should take some action to safeguard Alberta gasoline consumers. We are asking for an immediate investigation into gasoline prices followed by action.

When Alberta's resources were developed to the point of making us self-sufficient, we were assured

that we would benefit by lower prices for gasoline. Instead of that we have had a series of price increases of which last week's is only the latest. Apparently the oil interests think they can get away with murder in this province. It is time to call a halt.

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We all have to work hard, even my younger brothers, but Dad still practically works his first son even though he frequently leaves home because of family arguments.

My brothers and myself as well as our little sister never have enough clothes to be decently dressed. Mother is worn out from hard work and raising nine children. Dad now says he won't let my step-brother come home but I'm afraid he might. Dad says he'll do everything to his first son. I'd like to get out and earn my own living. What do you think?

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Answer:

Well, Fed Up, undoubtedly there are a lot of things at home that aggravate you and you are now reaching the age when you could step out and get a job where you can earn your own money, be independent and send money home to your parents.

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When you leave home to seek outside employment, tell your folks where you're going and write home frequently. Your opportunity to make the break would be when your step-brother returns, at which time you can tell your father that as his older son has come back he won't need you. Don't be afraid of going out on your own. Alberta is a big province with plenty of opportunity for a young man like yourself willing to work.

LOUISA

Huge Chemical Plant At Edmonton Starts

EDMONTON, (UP) — The mammoth Canadian Chemical Company plant, just east of Edmonton produced its first bolt of finished yarn recently and engineers are hard at work ironing out wrinkles and putting all equipment in capacity working order.

Officials say production will increase every day, until the plant's ultimate capacity, 15,000,000 pounds of filament and staple fibre per year, will be reached in about three or four months.

To date, only two of the 10 giant yarn-spinning machines are in operation. About 400 persons are employed, but between 700 and 800 will be working in the plant when full-scale operation is reached.

The chemical plant is an entirely self-contained unit, having its own power plant and pumping plant to take water from the nearby Saskatchewan river. It also has its own fire station, first aid centre, cafeteria, and a 25-man safety crew to prevent accidents.

Even to enter the inner gate with a company engineer, the visitor must sign for a badge. Before entering the yarn building, he must remove all matches from his pockets. "If the stuff ever caught fire, it would blow the plant sky high," an official explained.

The plant will produce scores of chemicals, including synthetic ethanol, used as an anti-freeze, propanol, used in brake fluids, cal, and acetic acid and acetone, used by the plant itself in the manufacture of the synthetic yarn.

Windsor Man Is Last Casualty Of War

OTTAWA — The army announced that Tpr. James Murrill Nickerson of Windsor, Ont., was the last Canadian casualty of the Korean war.

He was wounded in battle July 26.

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One morning while having breakfast, my three-year-old dropped his cup of milk on the floor and the cup broke to pieces and his pet dog ran to lick the milk. "Don't touch that, Puppy, you will cut your fingers," Daniel said.

Mrs. J. C.

Lac la Biche, Alta.

One afternoon 3 year old Judy came over to our house. Mom and I had been discussing different children of different families. Then I said that Judy's family had quite a few children compared to her auntie's family. "Oh," said Judy, "Mommie didn't get us from the bargain section of the catalogue though!"

V.R.S.

No Polygamy

VICTORIA (UP) — The RCMP gave residents of Creston, B.C. a clean sheet Thursday and said reports that polygamy was being practised in the interior mining town by ex-Mormons were false.

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Canadian Jeeps To Holland



CANADA RECENTLY DELIVERED 840 Jeeps to Holland as part of Canada's mutual aid program for NATO. At a ceremony held in Rotterdam, Mr. T. Stone, left, Canadian ambassador to the Netherlands, formally handed over one of the Jeeps as it was taken from a ship, to Mr. W. Kramersburg, Holland's secretary of state for war, right.

"Parade Of Nations" Concert Donates \$530 To Cancer Fund

ELK ISLAND—The "Parade of Nations" concert held on July 26th at this beautiful National Park drew a crowd of some five thousand people to the Band Shell area.

Featuring artists and selections from eighteen different nationalities, the concert drew high praise and approval from the large audience.

Though no charge is made at these concerts, sponsored by the National Parks, the National Film Board, and the Central Alberta Bands' Association, held every Sunday, a silver collection is taken and the proceeds are used to defray expenses and to promote further cultural development among the organizations participating in the concerts during the summer.

The "Parade of Nations" concert, last held, however, turned over the full proceeds of their concert to the Canadian Cancer Society. The collection was made by ladies in their colorful national costumes, who carried Cancer Society containers throughout the audience during the program. At the conclusion of the concert, Mr. J. M. Bell, master of ceremonies, called Mr. G. K. A. Rice, president of the Alberta Division of the Canadian Cancer Society, to the platform and presented him with a heavy sack of silver—the proceeds of the collection for the day, which amounted to the substantial sum of five hundred and thirty dollars.

The program was widely varied, with approximately seventy artists participating. These artists represented the distinctive and true Canadian, our Indians and Eskimos, the French-Canadian, the American, the British Isles, Scandinavia, Europe, and the Orient.

The truly Canadian group were represented by Indians and Eskimos from the Charles Canam Hospital in Winnipeg, who entertained with a display of art and carving and gave a tribal chant. The French-Canadian Society, their number presented a lively French-Canadian square dance. The three Scandinavian countries were each represented with songs and folk dances of Norway, Denmark and Sweden. The various countries of Europe were represented by respective artists giving truly national numbers. Among these groups were songs of Italy, lively dances from the Ukraine, comic songs of Holland and a national dance of Poland.

The British Isles' contribution featured Highland piping and dancing of Scotland, the well-known

and belated old songs of Ireland, and the excellent typical Scottish dances in morrisque.

American representation took the form of an American square dance.

The Canadian negro representation took the form of a medley of spirituals.

One of the highlights of the concert was the representation from the Orient—they presented the lovely Japanese Doll Dance.

As can be seen from the program the multitude of nationalities which go to make up Canada can offer to this country a wealth of culture, and the audience showed a fine appreciation of the numbers.

The groups responsible for the arranging of the regular Sunday concerts are deserving of high credit. These groups are the Central Alberta Band Association, the staff of Elk Island National Park and the National Film Board.

A full day's program is prepared for each Sunday. Various churches hold a service on consecutive Sundays at 11:30 a.m. During the afternoon there is a concert, either band or choral or variety and in the evening Travelogue films are presented by the National Film Board. The committee responsible for preparing these programs is to be congratulated for their efforts to provide a pleasant day for visitors to one of Canada's Great tourist centres.

Herd Of Deer Traffic Hazard

Fort Erie, Ont.—James Wilkinson, a tourist from Rochester, N.Y., was forced to bring his car to a halt on the Niagara Parkway to permit a herd of deer to trot safely across the highway to ward the Niagara River for a swim.

High Profit

Hamilton, Ont.—Seventy-one head of Aberdeen-Angus cattle were sold recently for \$275,425, an average of \$3,880, at the Penney and James Farm, owned by J. C. Penney, chain store operator, and O. J. James. Top price was \$30,000 paid for a half interest in a bull.

OTTAWA AGRICULTURAL OFFICIAL IS APPOINTED GENERAL MANAGER OF EDMONTON FIRM

The Board of Directors of the Edmonton Produce Co. Ltd. have announced the appointment of Mr. A. F. Darnell to the position of General Manager of the company, and subsidiaries.

Mr. Darnell comes to the company with a background of twenty-eight years of service and experience in Government work dealing with both production, and marketing phases of poultry and poultry products. His experience includes the production of chicks and turkey poulters, the production and marketing of shell, frozen and dried eggs, also live dressed, sexed and banded poultry products. He was located in Alberta from 1927 to 1936 in the capacity of Poultry Products Inspector, and after service in eastern provinces, including the Maritime, returned to Alberta in 1943 as officer in charge of the Poultry Products Inspection Service, following which he assumed charge as district inspector in the province of Manitoba, and in 1952 was promoted to associate chief, Agricultural Inspection Service, Ottawa. He resigned this last position to return to more active work in industry.

The new general manager has travelled extensively in Canada and the United States, in the interest of poultry products. He has been a regular platform speaker at poultry and trade meetings and conventions. He is well known as a speaker on CBC farm broadcasts.

Mrs. Darnell is a native of Alberta, having been born at Vermilion. The family has just moved from the east to take up residence with their two daughters, Arlene and Sharon, in Edmonton. They will live at 11411



A. F. DARNELL



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73 Avenue. The Darnells are members of the United Church, and Mr. Darnell is a member of AP and AM Saskatchewan 22, with Mrs. Darnell being a member of Altinity Chapter 33 OES Edmonton.

Alberta has come a long way in the poultry business in the past quarter century, Mr. Darnell said, and he went on to say that Alberta producers have "the necessary 'know how' and 'geographical advantages' to develop and maintain a healthy poultry industry." The Edmonton Produce Co. sells Alberta poultry products all over this continent, which includes United States and Mexico, and to far away markets including Venezuela.

Mr. Darnell remarked, the president of the company, Mr. J. Zipperstein, explained that the company got its start in a very small way in Edmonton twenty-five years ago. Today it serves thousands of Alberta farmers, and maintains large storage plants for poultry products. Branch premises are located at Wetaskiwin, Spruce Grove, Lamont, Redhearn, Josephburg, St. Paul, Gladsmith, Lloydminster, and Redwater.

The Edmonton Produce Company are wholesale processors, marketers, and exporters of shell eggs, frozen egg products, and poultry meats. The main plant is located at 10304 102 Street.

FARM SCIENCE

Department of Agriculture, Canada and Alberta

How To Discourage An Unwelcome Guest

Housewives who have trouble with tiny red mites entering their homes will be glad to know that something can be done about it now. These small mites are actually harmless in the home, but they do cause considerable inconvenience and distress when found swarming over dining or living room walls.

Mites are not insects. They belong to the spider group. DDT and similar compounds have had little effect on them, but relief is now available and can be bought in the form of such commercial preparations as Malathion and Aramite. For peace of mind, action should be taken before mites enter the home.

Dr. C. W. Farstad, officer-in-charge of the Field Crop Insect Laboratory at Lethbridge, says the mite-infested lawns are a source of trouble, particularly lawns that come right up to the house. A cultivated flower, or other border between lawn and

building is usually sufficient to stop migration of these mites. Known as clover mites, they spend the summer on the clover and grass of the lawn and with the advent of cold weather move in search of shelter. They are too tiny to be kept out of the house with fly screens, and enter readily between the boards and under walls and baseboards.

Once the mites enter the house, little can be done but to keep them swept up with the vacuum cleaner. The best remedy is to keep them out. This can be done by spraying the two or three feet of lawn adjoining the house, and the outside walls to a height of one to two feet, with the mite-killing compound. Keep careful watch on the outside walls from time to time just above ground level. Dr. Farstad advises that mites are present in quantity, go to work at once with spray gun and chemical. Follow closely the manufacturer's directions.

Baby Drowns In Kitchen Sink

Baltimore, Md.—The 4-week-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Whitehill, was pronounced dead after the baby's mother faintly while giving her a bath in the kitchen sink.

Mute Saves Girl

Milwaukee—When he saw a girl lean from a bridge railing, Herbert Fields, deaf-mute, couldn't call for help as he raced to the bridge, climbed down a cat walk near the water and grabbed the girl. He held her head above water until passing motorists came to his aid.

And then there is the man who mistakes his wife's cooking when over-heats the opportunity.

Candidates Stump Country

Because radio broadcasting offers candidates an opportunity to address people in their homes, the old-fashioned political meeting has lost some of its popularity and lustre.

Notwithstanding, most, if not all candidates do get out and campaign actively throughout their constituency, and the party leaders and ranking members of the various parties spend a great deal of time and tire effort traveling from centre to centre to attend meetings and rallies.

It is at these political meetings some of the best speaking is heard, some of the better promises are made, and some of the most controversial quotes are picked up.

Browsing along the Pontiac Trail we picked up some of the highlights in meetings held recently and they read thusly:

TILLSONBURG, Ont. — State Secretary Pickersgill said he made the move from civil service to government "because the prime minister convinced me I'd be more useful to him in the first place and more useful to the country."

OTTAWA — Defence Minister Claxton said the cease-fire in Korea will result in a reduction of defence expenditures.

ST. THOMAS, Ont. — Canada would be "betraying" her allies if she reduced defence expenditures by 10 per cent at this time, Prime Minister St. Laurent said.

HAMILTON — George Drew indicated his Progressive Conservatives would toughen trade relations with the United States if elected.

VANCOUVER — Associate Defence Minister Ralph Campney said he hoped the matter of war veterans' allowances would be one of the first matters to receive consideration at the next session of parliament.

VICTORIA — Trade Minister C. D. Howe said "I think this will be my last election" and that "I want to make sure the Liberal party is strong when I leave it."

VANCOUVER — Ralph Campney associate minister of defence said he believes the federal health program will lead eventually to a national health insurance plan.

EDMONTON — Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes VC, says the Progressive Conservatives can cut the cost of Canada's armed forces by at least 10 per cent.

ST. THOMAS, Ont. — Prime Minister St. Laurent said that entertainment in Rome cost Canada \$2,980, and not \$35,000 as claimed by the Progressive Conservatives.

OTTAWA — Defence Minister Claxton said Canada is the only country which has ever fought a war, balanced the budget, reduced the national debt and cut taxes—all at the same time.

NIAGARA FALLS — George Drew, PC leader, said recent action of the U.S. government in reducing military appropriations supports his proposal that taxes in Canada can be cut \$300,000,000 a year.

KIMBERLEY, B.C. — M. J. Coldwell says that if the CCF takes power it will introduce a national labor code establishing maximum hours of work and minimum wages.

YARMOUTH, N.S. — Donald Fleming, PC member for Toronto Eglinton in the last Parliament, said that a vote for the government would be a vote for a "pig in a poke."

HATS IN THE RING

NEXT MONDAY, Canadian electors will go to the polls to cast their ballots in favor of their preferred candidate. Approximately 900 hopeful candidates' names are on the ballots, all seeking the right to one of the 265 seats in the House of Commons. Pictured are the leaders of the four major political parties seeking power to form the government.

CANADA'S CAPITOL



RECOGNIZED AS ONE of the leading capitol buildings of the world, the Canadian House of Commons, topped by the striking Peace Tower is the aim and hope of 900 candidates in the forthcoming election August 10.

Social Credit — Mr. Solon Low



RUNNING IN THE Peace River constituency in Alberta, the home grounds of the Social Credit party, Mr. Low is confident of leading a larger block of Social Credit members in the next session of Parliament.

Liberal — The Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent



PRIME MINISTER ST. LAURENT who took over the reins of government from the late W. L. Mackenzie King looks forward with confidence to another term in office as Canada's first minister.

Preg. Cons. — The Hon. George Drew



LEADER OF THE Opposition in the last House, Mr. Drew has waged a vigorous campaign against the Liberal policies of the government. His party look forward to an increase in their numbers in the House.

C.C.F. — Mr. M. J. Coldwell



C.C.F. CANDIDATES and their fellows pin their hopes on Mr. Coldwell, a capable debater and strong opponent of Liberal policies.

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Perennial Flowers For Western Prairies

OTTAWA—The list of perennial flowers which are hardy enough for general planting on the open prairies of Western Canada is not as lengthy as for many areas with higher rainfall and milder winters. There are, however, a considerable number which are hardy under most conditions and numerous others which can be grown in protected locations provided they are given some winter protection.

Many of the better class perennial flowers are winter hardy so far as low temperature is concerned, but are unable to withstand the alternate freezing and thawing which occurs during February and March, particularly during winters with little or no snow fall.

The exposure of the border has a definite influence upon winter survival. Borders with an Eastern or Northern exposure are preferred over those with a Southern or Western. Winter survival can be improved considerably by the use of a good covering of brush over the border throughout the winter. This covering should be put in place until after freeze-up and should not be removed until growth has commenced in the spring.

Lists of recommended kinds and varieties are available from the nearest Experimental Station and University. These should be consulted when ordering nursery stock.

Harrold Elected Vice-Chairman

GORDON L. HARROLD

Gordon L. Harrold of Lamont was elected vice-chairman at the latest meeting of the Alberta Wheat Pool directors. He succeeds A. T. Baker, recently appointed manager of the organization.

Mr. Harrold represents the Wheatville division on the Wheat Pool board of directors. He farms 670 acres of land in the Lamont district, being part of his father's original holdings. His father was born in the Orkney Islands, came to Ontario in 1891 and to Alberta in 1905, settling in the Lamont district where Gordon was born.

The new vice-chairman was elected an Alberta Wheat Pool delegate in 1942 and director in 1943.

FARM WOMEN OF WORLD NOT RURALLY MINDED

TORONTO—Canadians inclined to envisage farmers' wives as somewhat retiring ladies, with conversation limited to the current market price of butter and eggs, are due for a severe shock in August, when rural women the world over will meet at Toronto's Royal York hotel for the Seventh Triennial Conference of the Associated Country Women of the World. Reservations flowing into the offices of the hostesses greatly indicate that while visitors will be able to discuss market prices fluently, they will have a lot more varied and interesting topics of conversation.

Commonwealth Nominations

Nominations for the office of president are all Commonwealth women. They include Lady Constance of Ceylon, wife of the High Commissioner in London, and a World Council member of the Y.W.C.A. in India, Burma, and Ceylon; Mrs. Alice M. Berry, an Australian Justice of the Peace, who successfully raised two daughters on an isolated sheep station in New South Wales; Lady Wilson, wife of a pioneer dairy farmer near Nairobi, in Kenya, whose hobby is breeding Arab horses.

Miss Amy G. Kane, OBE, retired New Zealand Journalist and official of the Pan-Pacific Women's International Association, and Lady Worsley-Taylor, also a Justice of the Peace, farming 1,600 English acres in cattle and sheep.

Other club activities of these five women read like an inventory of government agencies, welfare organizations and women's associations on all levels. Not one limits her activities to fewer than three groups. They also work among new citizens, and do post-graduate work at universities. Color photography of wild animals, journalism, embroidery and horticulture are a few of their interests.

Outstanding among their interests is travel. Most delegates have attended past ACWW conferences in Washington, Amsterdam, London and Copenhagen.

SIMCOE, Ont.—George Drew said a Progressive Conservative government will tell the United States it must abide by international trade agreements or Canada will not.

HEALTH UNIT NOTES

From the Sanitary Inspector's Diary

This week I am going to say something about the house fly.

The house fly has a world wide distribution living in close association with man. As soon as the weather gets mild the female begins to lay large numbers of eggs and her favourite site for depositing these eggs are accumulations of fermenting vegetable matter, fresh horse manure, pig manure, and human waste.

The eggs soon hatch out and the familiar maggots appear feeding vigorously on this waste matter and when fully grown, they burrow into the soil and pupate. In a few days the adult fly emerges. The entire life cycle from egg to adult may take less than seven days when conditions are favourable.

The life of an adult fly may be as long as six weeks and so one adult female fly may lay sufficient eggs to produce a million offspring. The danger arising from this insect is due to his promiscuous feeding habits. After busily feeding on manure piles, or the contents of garbage cans, or pit toilets or neglected nuisance grounds, he next visits the kitchen, the home or local food store and he will sample any food which has been left conveniently exposed.

He does spread disease? YES. The most notable being Typhoid and Para-Typhoid, Dysentery, Epidemic Diarrhoea, and possibly Cholera, Tuberculosis, Eye Infections, and Polymyelitis.

How do they convey these diseases to man? They vomit and excrete on everything on which they alight; in addition, when feeding on solid food they attempt to soften it by means of vomit and saliva.

The excreta of flies may also be dangerous.

Flies also carry particles of manure and disease organisms on their bodies and legs.

Can anything be done to prevent outbreaks of fly-borne disease? Yes.

The following recommendations will reduce the possibility of such outbreaks.

HERE'S HEALTH



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of flies. All ventilation openings should be properly screened, and the door fit tightly. A very simple and effective measure to prevent fly breeding and mask odours is to pour down into the pit toilet a quantity of waste oil. Not gasoline. Spray the toilet with a 3% D.D.T.

2. Proper storage of garbage. Residents of Towns, Villages, and Hamlets should keep all garbage likely to attract flies in proper garbage cans having fly proof lids. For people living on farms the best method is to dig a pit, not too close to the house and dump your garbage into it. Cover garbage with 2 feet of soil immediately afterwards.

3. Keep all unnecessary animals out of Towns, Villages, and Hamlets. Where horses have to be kept in such places the manure should be kept in containers similar to those recommended for garbage.

4. Nuisance grounds should be kept in a proper Sanitary Condition.

5. The use of Swatters and Insecticides. "Swat that Fly" should be the motto. A 5% D.D.T. can be sprayed around doors and windows. Do not spray when food is exposed; and do not inhale insecticides.

6. Proper Storage and Protection of Food. Keep door and window screens in good repair. Wash all fruit and vegetables before use. Keep all food covered.

AUGUST 10 IS VOTING DATE—HERE'S HOW IT WAS CHOSEN

By PETER GABLE

Why did Prime Minister St. Laurent choose Aug. 10 as the date for the next federal general election?

Conservative Leader George Drew has accused him of going into "a panic over the frequency with which new evidence of folly and extravagance comes to light, and of selfishly disenfranchising large numbers of voting voters."

Other Opposition candidates have criticized the date, apparently trying to make it an issue in the campaign.

Mr. St. Laurent gave a carefully worded and documented reason for his decision at the conference which he held on the day the date was announced.

The answer to Mr. Drew's accusation is that no other date could have been chosen by the government without depriving many people of their right to vote.

The rigid timetable laid down in the Canada Elections Act precluded any other date including Aug. 17 unless the government was willing to hold a campaign during the coronation festivities or next winter.

Here's how the Election Act schedule made Aug. 10 the only possible date this year: Mr. St. Laurent wanted to assure as wide and fair an enumeration as possible and to give all adult Canadians full opportunity to be on the voters' lists. This meant taking the enumeration in some months other than July and August, when many people are away from their homes.

Section 17 of the Elections Act requires that enumeration begin on the 15th day before election day. If Aug. 17 has been chosen, enumerators would have started to work on Monday, June 26. They would have been interrupted by the Dominion Day national holiday and their work would have carried over into July the enumeration takes six days.

That ruled out Aug. 17. The coronation, and Mr. St. Laurent's determination not to inflict a political campaign on the country

during its festivities, precluded any date earlier than Aug. 10.

What about the Fall? The government did consider an Autumn election date with enumeration starting in September. But this year, the first Monday in that month—Sept. 7—is the Labor Day holiday, and enumeration could not commence until Monday, Sept. 14.

This would have put the election date off another 49 days to early November, a bad month for Canadian elections. In northern areas, summer roads are frequently clogged with snow and winter roads aren't open. Political campaigning is virtually impossible and it is difficult to get a fair turnout at the polls.

So Mr. St. Laurent had no practical alternative to Aug. 10. He told reporters that he hoped everyone—candidates and voters alike—would accept these facts without resentment. Personally, he said, he would rather enjoy the summer holidays than get into a political campaign.

As for charges that many people would be disenfranchised in August, Mr. St. Laurent said that record of previous summer elections in this country had shown no falling-off in the vote. No matter what date was chosen, however, there were "always some people away."

The date chosen, he added, would at least assure a full and fair enumeration of voters at a time in June beginning the 22nd when most Canadians would still be at home. It would make the best of a bad situation, reducing to a minimum the number of people who won't be able to vote.

So far as the Liberal government is concerned, Mr. St. Laurent said in reply to questions there is only one election issue in the 1953 campaign—"Good government."

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Wrong Place

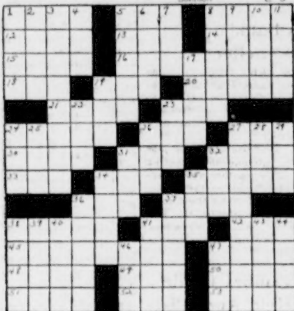
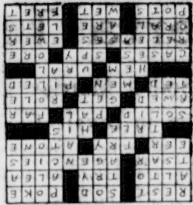
Payetteville, Ga.—Four Negroes were recently arrested and charged with operating three 1,000-gallon stills of all places—the farm of State Revenue Commissioner Charlie Redwine, which liquor law enforcement officers of Georgia.

Dog Daze

A woman in Redwood City, Calif., sued an airline for \$4,000 damages, charging that after its baggage handlers had let her pet dog escape from the plane, the airline refused to pay for the dog's expenses. The dog, a small black and white terrier, was forced to eat and drink from various and sundry low-bred kennels, becoming pregnant and suffering, as a result, "extreme hallucination, shock, trauma, and other psychological difficulties not presently diagnosed."

CROSSWORD

ACROSS
 1. House
 2. Left
 3. Singing voice
 4. Amount
 5. Great big, gaudy
 6. Common Russian rule
 7. Supper
 8. Ever
 9. Fading light
 10. Modern assembly
 11. Winding path
 12. Tomorrow
 13. Time
 14. Comparison
 15. Labeled
 16. Above
 17. Fair in play
 18. Greeting, polite
 19. Thin
 20. Edge of dream
 21. Natural resource
 22. Group
 23. Quality
 24. Almost against
 25. Car or road
 26. Very old
 27. Toward
 28. Landing vehicle
 29. In a way
 30. If
 31. Color
 32. Mindless
 33. Unpleasant
 34. Fencing, old
 35. Next lock
 36. To be most
 37. Color
 38. Impulsive
 39. Color
 40. Dumb
 41. To
 42. Glass liquid
 43. To be
 44. Almost necessary
 45. Labeled



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News Oddities

Too Busy; Gets Fined

Dallas, Texas — Benjamin J. Seibel, 59-year-old accountant and tax specialist from Gainesville, Texas, was fined \$1,000 and put on probation in Federal Court on a charge of failure to file income-tax returns from 1946 to 1950. —he said he had been too busy working on other persons' returns to file his own.

Lucky Strike Under Office

Bakersfield, Calif. — The Western Gulf Oil Company located a pool of oil directly under a wing of the firm's home office at Fruitvale, Cal. A rig, set up beside the building and dug at an angle, is producing more than 100 barrels a day.

Baby Dies In Crib

Randallstown, Md. — When John Allen Mitchell, 22-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Mitchell, got caught in the safety belt on his crib and rolled off the bed, his neck was broken and he was dead, when discovered.

Condors Reported To Be Dying Out

San Diego, Cal. — The last of North America's greatest 1 is, the California condors, are reported to be dying out from slow starvation. Lewis Wayne Walker, a naturalist, declared their only hope of survival was in captivity or by artificial feeding in their 235,000-acre preserve in the mountains north of Los Angeles. Condors, despite their great size, do not eat and in natural state must depend for food upon carrion, left by animals of prey or hunters.

Anglers Land Lost Wallet

Champaign, Ill. — Two school-boys, fishing to recover a ball they had dropped into a creek, recovered instead, a billfold that had been lost three weeks earlier in a heavy rainstorm. It contained \$82 set but intact, which belonged to a University of Illinois student, who said it slipped from his hands into a drain during a storm and got away before he could recover it.

Wrong House Re-Roofed

Chicago, Ill. — Workmen were putting the finishing touches on a new roof on a house at 1415 N. Paulina Street, when Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kniebusch returned home and asked, "How come?" The embarrassed foreman pulled out his work order and found the re-roofing job was for a house at 1514 N. Paulina. The Kniebuschs insisted they preferred their old blue roof to the new green one and wouldn't pay. Their attorney told them the new roof cannot be removed by the company.

Lighter Fuel Catches Fire

Baltimore, Md. — A leaking can of lighter fluid in the pocket of Carl Baugus, 19, brought first and second degree burns to the youth. Stopping to light a cigarette, the fuel caught fire, setting his clothing ablaze.

SEEK FARMER VOTE ON RECORD OF AGRICULTURE POLICIES

What do farmers think of the federal government's record in agriculture?

Every political organizer with his ear to the ground knows this is one of the key factors in the present federal general election. It can swing the vote in a majority of federal constituencies.

Agriculture Minister James Gardiner, whose career on the hustings goes back to 1914 without a single personal defeat at the polls, thinks farmers will continue to support the present government. This may be scarcely an unbiased view of the election outlook, but Gardiner is an old hand at gauging public feeling, and he backs up his forecast with an impressive recital of facts and figures. The government's record in agriculture for all practical purposes is Jimmy Gardiner's record. He has been Minister of Agriculture under the King and St. Laurent administrations since 1926.

Here are some of the reasons why Gardiner thinks the farm vote will back the government again.

First, he cites the record of expenditures on agriculture. The Mulroney government in 1921 spent \$2.6 million during its last year in office. The following year, the new Liberal government under Mackenzie King asked Parliament for \$9 million. When the Conservative government under R. B. Bennett was returned in 1939, the outlay was reduced again to \$6,000,000. Last year, the St. Laurent administration spent more than \$100 million on its agriculture program.

Then Gardiner cites the government's record in farm legislation. Liberal administrations, he says, have approved vast new programs of special assistance to agriculture—the prairie and maritime farm rehabilitation acts, the agricultural co-operative marketing act, the prairie farm assistance act providing drought insurance (\$144 million in the past 11 years), and many others.

One of the agriculture department's most ambitious and successful programs has been the policy of encouraging movement of feed grains from the west

mer months. The Agricultural Prices Support Board purchases surplus butter in the summer months, stores it and sells it to the wholesale trade in the winter time, with carrying costs added.

What about opposition charges and on the west coast. The province, Canada has lost the British market for meat and dairy products? Here is Gardiner's answer: "Britain is buying carcass beef of \$185 million. It has given in London at 16 cents a pound. We eastern and west coast livestock are selling ours at 20 cents a pound for the opportunity to purchase in Montreal. Britain is buying her cheese feed at a reasonable price here at 21 cents a pound. We are and at the same time has secured—selling ours at 45 cents in Montreal—production of feed grains on real.

"Britain is buying her butter achievement was the passage of hog cuts for 60 cents in Montreal. The agricultural prices support Britain is buying her cheese from act in 1944, guaranteeing farmers New Zealand at 21 cents a pound. A reasonably stable return for we are selling ours at 20 cents in their produce. Today, for example, Montreal, Britain is buying her price, the government maintains a price at 46 cents a dozen. We are "steak-house" price of 58 cents a selling ours at 55 cents a dozen. pound on butter during the summer. "Why should we wish to sell

those products in London at those prices in preference to prices received in Montreal or Toronto?"

The present government, Gardiner says, has done more for farmers than any other government in Canadian history.

A "loyal party man" is a politician who denounces the truth if he thinks it will injure his party's chances.

Exam Results Out In August

EDMONTON (BUP)—The Education Department announces that the results of the Grades Nine and 12 examinations, written in June, will be mailed about August 1.

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For a change to a Parliament of regional groups—a handful of Social Crediters from the Far West, a few Socialists from the Prairies, a few more Conservatives from Ontario or the Maritimes and some so-called Independents from Quebec?

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We believe most Canadians want a government which encourages enterprise, promotes trade and fosters the exploration and development of our resources; and you know it as well as we do, that requires balanced budgets, paying off debts in prosperous times and a tax structure which, while fair to all, is adequate to meet these demands.

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NOTICE

In the matter of the Gas Resources Preservation Act, being Chapter 2, Statutes of Alberta, 1948, (Second Session), and amendments thereto, and

In the matter of the application of Mid-continent Pipelines Limited.

TAKE NOTICE that an application will be made on behalf of MID-CONTINENT PIPELINES LIMITED to The Petroleum and Natural Gas Conservation Board, for a permit to remove gas or cause it to be removed from the Province of Alberta, for use or consumption elsewhere than within the said Province, under the provisions of The Gas Resources Preservation Act, being Chapter 2 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1948, (Second Session), and amendments thereto.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that the said Board has fixed the hearing of the application for the hour of 10:30 a.m. in the forenoon on the 20th day of August in the City of Calgary, in the Province of Alberta.

DATED at the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, this 1st day of July, 1953.

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